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PRESS RELEASE

PHILADELPHIA – United States Attorney Patrick L. Meehan today announced the filing of an indictment¹ charging LARRY V. CRENSHAW, a/k/a "Larry Tate," and TARA D. GROOMES with one count of conspiracy, two counts of counterfeiting United States currency, and two counts of dealing in counterfeit United States currency.

INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT(S)

NAME	ADDRESS	AGE
LARRY V. CRENSHAW, a/k/a "Larry Tate"	Philadelphia, PA	55 years old
TARA D. GROOMES	Philadelphia,PA	37 years old

If convicted, the defendants face a maximum possible sentence of 85 years of incarceration, and a maximum possible fine of \$1,250,000.

The case was investigated by the United States Secret Service and has been assigned to Assistant United States Attorney Jennifer Arbittier Williams.

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